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Roseville, California

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**PLACER SUPERIOR COURT ANNOUNCES
TEMPORARY POLICY FOR VIDEO APPEARANCES
IN CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS**

The Placer County Superior Court announces temporary rules and forms for remote video appearances for criminal pretrial hearings **effective April 13, 2020.**

In response to the current COVID-19 pandemic and in an effort to minimize in-person contact, the court will now permit parties to appear remotely in criminal proceedings, as allowed by California Rules of Court, Emergency Rule 3. Defendants and their counsel may appear remotely by video upon request and documentation of consent, pursuant to California Rules of Court, Emergency Rule 5. The court must receive a request to appear by video, using Form PL-CR012, no later than noon on the court day prior to the court appearance.

For more information about remote appearances for all case types, and to request to appear remotely, visit the Court's website at www.placer.courts.ca.gov and select *Remote Appearance System*.

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